AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

LISTING OF CLAIMS

1.   (Currently Amended)   A dispatching method for polling device data, comprising the steps of:

reading device type description data, wherein managed devices are sorted according to their types, various types of data of each managed device are sorted to different modules, and a priority attribute and a polling period attribute are assigned to each module respectively;

determining a first set of devices to be polled from the managed devices, wherein the first set of devices at least comprises ~~current~~ an operation device set; and

when a system polling is initiated, dispatching a periodical polling by determining at least one module to be polled currently from the first set of devices according to the priority attribute and the polling period attribute of the first set of devices, wherein a first set of data items for describing the at least one module at least comprises a device ID and module ID;

polling the at least one module.

2.   (Currently Amended)   The method of Claim 1, after determining the at least one module, the method further comprising:

inserting the at least one module to a current polling task queue according to said periodical polling, and polling the at least one module through the current polling task queue;